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METHOD OF LIGHT EMITTING DEVICE

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The family of JP 10-255973 cited herein includes: EP Patent No. EP 0 865 229 B1 US Patent No. 6,001,413 (previously made of record)

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